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But you will find an easy one to it if you will
PRACTICE ECONOMY,
—AND—
BUY YOUR CLOTHING
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A. GILMORE,
JOHNSON ST., VICTORIA.
The stock is always fresh and the prices are cut down to suit the times.
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Leask & Morrison's,
THE LEADING TAILORS,
GOVERNMENT STREET.

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PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS CARDS inserted at the following special rates: Cards occupying five or seven lines space, classified, $3 per month. Each additional line, ten words, 50 cents per line per month.

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WANTED.

WANTED.—Parties out of employment will do well to call at Brunswick House, Room 11, from 9 to 4 daily. Business light, pleasant, profitable and requiring no experience and but small capital. Good wages guaranteed. P.S.—Three or four parties wishing to go to California will find good territory still open. sep26 1w

WANTED.—A good steady boy to learn the Blacksmith trade. Apply at the Ontario Wagon Shop, Johnson street. sept24 3t

WANTED.—Twenty Five Chinamen for Placer Diggings. Wages $2.25 per day. Apply to J. B. Jackson, Yale, B. C. Sept23

WANTED.—A second-hand Piano or Organ. Address "PIANO," TIMES office. sept 23 6t

WANTED.—Clerk and Correspondent.—Required a young gentleman as above. Good business handwriting and knowledge of shorthand indispensable. Apply, stating age, experience and full particulars, to "Merchant," care of TIMES office, Victoria. sept19 6t

TO AGENTS The Canadian Needle Co., 46 and 48 Front Street East, Toronto get up the Neatest, most Complete and Best Selling Needle Package in America. Send 25 Cents for Sample of New No. 4, finished in fine Plush. Particulars sent when stamps are enclosed for reply.

Don't worry if you are out of employment. Write to Mr. Kowby, 41 Wellington Street East, Toronto. [illegible]

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE At a Bargain—House and Lot; or will rent cheap to good tenant. Apply on premises to Mrs. W. H. Clarke, North Park St., above Cook. sept. 23-6t

FOR SALE.—Fourteen Acres of land, four miles from the city, part under fence and cultivation, with new five-roomed Cottage, Barn and Outbuildings complete. Never failing spring 50 feet from the house. Easy terms. Address T. H. Ella, Drawer 36, Victoria. se20

FOR SALE OR LEASE.—A desirable Farm of Three Hundred Acres, eight miles from town. Lake frontage. Particulars at J. J. Austin's, Bastion street. july15 tf

FOR SALE.—An established Hotel business with a paying trade, centrally situated within a short distance of the Post Office. A good investment for a good man with CASH. Address, for particulars "HOTEL," TIMES office.

TEAS, WINES AND SPIRITS.

JOHN BOYD,

Has just landed, ex "Coldstream," the Finest Scotch Whiskies ever imported from Scotland. Connoisseurs whose health requires the most perfect qualities of Whisky will do well to give them a trial. In stock, Dantsic Spruce Beer and Teas of a very superior quality.
P. O. 483 YATES STREET. feb1mly

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple corner Douglas and Fisguard streets.
mar2 12m R. B. ESNOUF Secretary.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
ROBERT MITCHELL, Secretary.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

TO ARCHITECTS.

DESIGNS, PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS are invited for the above building in accordance with memorandum of particulars, copies of which, together with contour plans of the site, may be obtained on application to the undersigned. A premium of $500 will be paid for whichever design and plans, if any, may be adopted. Such design, plans and specifications to become the property of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital Building Committee.

Plans for the building to be addressed, in sealed envelope, to the undersigned, and to be handed to him by or before noon of 7th December next. WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Wharf street, Victoria, Hon. Secretary.
13th Sept., 1887. sept16

OFFICE OF THE
Perry Creek Gold Mining Comp'y
(Limited Liability.)
In Real Estate Office of Messrs. Lowenberg, Harris & Co., Government Street.

A LIMITED NUMBER OF SHARES in this Company
OPEN FOR SUBSCRIPTION.
Value of Share One Dollar—Payable on Subscription Ten (10) Cents—Remainder on call, in Instalments not exceeding Five (5) Cents per month. sep19 tf

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS,
OF
Durham and Holstein Cattle.

AN ERROR appears in the British Columbia Agricultural Association Pamphlets which places Durhams and Holstein Cattle in the same class. I am instructed to inform the public that the Durhams and Holsteins will form two separate classes. Each class will receive the same amount of prize money.

Persons who require accommodation at the Exhibition will do well to notify the Chairman of the Accommodation Committee, J. C. HENDERSON, Esq.
GEO. W. CHADSEY,
Secretary B. C. Agricultural Association.
sept19 2w

WE HAVE THE
BARGAINS
This Month,
And Don't You Forget to Memorize It!

376 yards Worsted Dress Goods, 12½ cents per yard.
947 yards Ladies' Cloth Dress Goods at 20 cents per yard.
One lot of Prints, dark colors, 16 yards for $1.
One lot of Pretty Lawns, 16 yards for $1.
72 pcs All-Linen Rooler Crash, 12 yards for $1.
Wide Canton Flannel, 12 yds for $1.
Wide Grey Flannel, 20 cents per yd.
Wide Grey Flannel, All-Wool, 25 cents per yard.
38-inch Linen Table Damask, 20c.
A Big Lot of Honey Comb Towels from 75c per dozen.
Large Bed Comforters from 75c.
One case Children's Woollen Hose from 15c per pair.
51 pieces of Embroideries from 4c per yard.
63 dozen Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, 50c per dozen.
Ladies' Black Jerseys, braided, from $1.10.
42 boxes of Fancy Dress Buttons, 10c per dozen.
Gentlemen's White Shirts, Good Quality, from 60c.
Gentlemen's All-Wool Sox, full finish, 25c.

261 SAMPLES
OF MENS ALL-WOOL
Under & Overshirts
From 75 cents.
A few pieces left of those pretty Jersey Flannels at 6 yards for $1

Argyle House
CLARENCE BLOCK,
DOUGLAS STREET.
sep9 D & W 1m

From London to Victoria, B. C.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL AT once place a
First Class Sailing Ship
On berth in London for Victoria, B. C.
☞ September loading. Having quick despatch, bulk of cargo being engaged. Shippers ORDERS BY MAIL will be in time for this vessel, or by cable through the undersigned, or to
MESSRS. H. J. GARDINER & CO.
Gresham Buildings, London, E. C.
ROBERT WARD & CO.,
Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C.
August 29, 1887. aug30

FOR RENTAL.

One, two or three Rooms, with conveniences attached, suitable for either Offices or Apartments. Situated corner Bastion and Langley Streets, commanding a view of the harbor. Can be had separately or en suite. Apply to THEODORE DAVIE.
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REMOVAL.
S. C. BURRIS, ARCHITECT,
Has Removed to Corner Government and Broughton Streets, Rooms, 7, 8 and 9 Hamley Building. jal0

G. BYRNES,
AUCTIONEER.
AUCTION.
FURNITURE, &c.
Wednesday, Sept. 28, 11 a.m.

I have been instructed by MRS. HUNTER to sell by Auction at her residence BLANCHARD STREET, between Cormorant and Fisgard sts.,
All the Furniture contained in Four Bedrooms, Parlor and Kitchen,
ALL OF WHICH IS NEARLY NEW.
sep24 GEO. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

VICTORIA THEATRE.
A Notable Amusement Event.
THREE NIGHTS ONLY,
Commencing Monday Evening, Sept 26
The Plays that have made all America laugh.
THE FAMOUS COMEDIAN
LOUIS HARRISON,
AIDED BY
A Magnificent Comedy Company,
Appearing on MONDAY and TUESDAY EVENINGS in his phenomenally successful and universally conceded most humorous of all plays known to the annals of the modern stage, entitled
SKIPPED
By the Light of the Moon.
And on WEDNESDAY EVENING
The Latest Laughing Sensation,
OUT OF THE FRYING PAN INTO THE FIRE.
These productions will be seen here in the same manner as presented by this Company in
1500 PERFORMANCES 1500
In all the principal cities of America, from
NEW YORK TO SAN FRANCISCO.
Reserved seats now on sale at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s Book Store. sept22 6t

St. James' Church.
THE LADIES OF THE ST. JAMES' SEWING Society will hold their
ANNUAL SALE OF WORK
At the Cathedral School Room, on
On Wednesday, Oct. 12, 1887,
Commencing at 11 o'clock.
Luncheon from 12 to 2, at 25 cts.
GRAND CONCERT
In the Evening, at 8 o'clock.
ADMISSION 50 CENTS. se24

BAZAAR.
The Ladies of the R. E. Church will hold a Bazaar on the 27th September and on the Afternoon and Evening of Sept. 28, at
THE PHILHARMONIC.
NO RAFFLES.
Admission 25 cents. Open at 7 o'clock p. m.
REFRESHMENTS DURING THE EVENING.
TABLEAUX.
sept21 td

THE ATTENTION OF
TOURISTS AND VISITORS
As well as that of the general public, is directed to the
VICTORIA
Transfer Co.'s
LIVERY and
HACK RATES.
This Company have the Largest and Finest Stables and the Best Stock of Horses and Vehicles in the City.
A Special Reduction in Livery charges is made for those desiring a short drive after Six in the evening.
☞ Hacks supplied any hour of the day or night at reasonable and uniform rates.
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Just Arrived.
A CONSIGNMENT OF FINE AMERICAN
Buggies and Phætons,
By the Celebrated Makers,
Emgor & Co. of Cincinnati.
For Sale at Reasonable Prices.
G. BYRNES.
se3 tf Fort and Langley Streets.

M'LENNAN & M'FEELY,
ROOFERS,
In Tin, Iron and Felt.
MANUFACTURERS OF
Galvanized Iron Cornices. The Globe Ventilator & Chimney Cap for sale.
Fort Street, Victoria, and Vancouver, B. C. sept20 ly

CITY OF VANCOUVER.

A Wonder of the Age---Marvellous Results in a Few Months.

Busy Hum of Industry---What is Being Accomplished.

(From our own Correspondent.)

The writer had not seen Vancouver since the first week in October a year ago, but having heard a great deal about the wonderful strides the terminal city was making, he was in a measure prepared to observe a somewhat changed condition in its appearance as compared with that of last October. Then a period of about three months had expired since its complete obliteration by the conflagration of Sunday, June 13th. The progress made towards a rebuilding of the city in one short month, *i. e.,* up to July 4th of that year, was considered to be phenomenal. Equally surprising was the progress made up to this time last year. This season's operations, however, have eclipsed all previous efforts. The work accomplished has been of a character that no other city or town in Canada can lay claim to, and this has been asserted by such eminent authorities as Senator Sherman of Ohio, and ex-Mayor Harrison of Chicago, to be unrivalled even by the surprising growth of many American cities in the oil regions of Pennsylvania and the mining centres of Colorado or any of the Territories.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Vancouver has been fortunate in having for its city fathers men of good, sound judgment, desirous of pushing the terminal city to the front amongst the sisterhood of provincial cities. Personal agrandisement for the time being has been sunk, each one vieing with his fellows as to whom could best serve the city and advance its interests. A good start was made when a general plan for laying out of the city was adopted. In this connection Mr. Alderman L. A. Hamilton, Assistant Land Commissioner of the C. P. R. Co., is entitled to a considerable meed of praise. No sooner had the smoke of the fire of 1886 cleared away, and whilst the embers were still bright the City Council went energetically to work in laying out streets. The work of grading began in earnest; miles upon miles of thoroughfares, after being graded, were planked and sidewalks laid. This work continued throughout the winter, spring and summer, until now few houses are to be met with not having a sidewalk to their doors. In some instances these are run to the edge of the green timber. A level for the streets has been adopted; bench marks for building purposes established, so as to give every one building an opportunity to build to the line. And still the work of

BUILDING AND IMPROVING GOES ON.

In various parts of the city are gangs of men at work on grading; others laying sidewalks, whilst a considerable number are at work on the drains, for be it proclaimed to the world, Vancouver has already initiated a drainage system which when fully completed will be a perfect one. The character of the work is apparent in the excavations in progress, which is extremely easy as no rock has to be encountered. The exact length of the sewers already completed I have not been able to ascertain. The sidewalks and planked streets the Chairman of the Board of Works informs me is in the neighborhood of forty miles. The amount of money expended by the corporation in connection with these works, the fire department's apparatus and the city building, which comprises the entire assets in round figures is $170,000, which is the total debt of the municipality up to the present time. The area embraced within the corporation covers some 6,000 acres, which is assessable for this debt. Hence the taxation for many years will be low.

BUILDINGS ARE LOOMING HEAVENWARDS

in every direction at present. No matter in which way you look, or where you wander in that portion of the city east of Granville street to beyond the Hastings' Saw Mill, buildings are going up; the clink of the hammer is heard and men are observed with their coats off, working as if for dear life to complete the job they have on hand. Conspicuous amongst the many elegant structures in progress is the block for Lady Stephen on Hastings street, that belonging to Mr. Geo. Byrnes of Victoria on the corner of Carrol and Water streets, and Mr. W. B. Wilson's on Cordova street. These are equal to the best to be found in any of the older cities on the coast, and are at once a convincing proof of the faith their owners have in the future of the city. But not only are palatial business houses being erected, as well as the more modest 10x20 structure in which a tobacconist or a boot-black can ply his avocation, for every available spot along Water, Cordova and Hastings streets, from the railway westward, is rapidly filling up with business premises. It is either the closing in of a frame building, the excavation for a stone foundation, the laying of the flooring, or the depositing of lumber preparatory to making a start. The citizens, emulating the policy pursued by the City Fathers are doing their part to rear up a city, whose dimensions and importance in the not far distant future will well entitle them to boast that in a few months they have achieved wonderful results. Here but a little over a year ago stood

AN ALMOST IMPENETRABLE FOREST,

the timber growth of which was the wonder and admiration of tourists from all parts of the world. In place of it to-day exists a city of at least 4,500 inhabitants, with every concomitant of enlightened civilization. Two daily newspapers, and exceedingly creditable productions these undoubtedly are, are fit reflexes of the spirit and enterprise which actuates the entire community. Churches are planted in various parts of the city, indicating that spiritual matters have not been lost sight of in the haste to worship the God of Mammon, as is observable in other places. The electric light illumines the city by night, and is patronized largely by the corporation, as well as by private citizens. Gas works are approaching completion, whilst the Capilano water works will be under process of construction in a few months. Having achieved all this the Vancouverites may well exclaim, behold our greatness, accomplished in a few months, which is but a forecast of what we expect to attain in the near future.

Benjamin Crowe, late solicitor of the Ontario Investment Association, London, has skipped.

EXCURSION TO SAN JUAN.

Roche Harbor Lime Works--The Old English Camp, &c., &c.

The steamer Saturna, Capt. Jagers, carried an excursion party to San Juan Island yesterday morning. Leaving the wharf at 9:30 a. m. the fast little boat steamed across to the Island in three hours. At Roche harbor the excursionists disembarked and visited the Roche Harbor Lime Works. A number of men were at work preparing the lime for shipment, and our informant was told that the demand exceeds the supply. The works prepare 150 barrels per day for shipment and employs 30 men. During the stay at Roche harbor, Mr. D. F. Fee, a promising young amateur photographer, took a number of photographs. After inspecting the lime works and clearing at the Custom House the steamer was headed for the Old English Camp. A pleasant day was spent at this place inspecting the old barracks, and Captain Delacombe's former residence. The buildings are fast decaying and the quarters formerly occupied by the British troops are now used for storing hay and providing shelter for cattle belonging to a farmer residing with his family in the officers quarters. The glorious days of the Old English Camp are things of the past. The bright uniforms of the officers and the soldiers on parade was a feature of the Island twenty years ago; but to-day nothing is heard but the lowing of cattle and the chirping of birds. The house formerly occupied by Captain Delacombe stands on a prominence and commands a most pleasant view of the Islands and Straits. After viewing all the glories of days gone by the excursionists embarked and reached Victoria at 8 p. m. Three cheers for the jolly Captain and "God Save the Queen" brought the pleasant excursion to a close. On Friday next the Evangel will carry an excursion party to San Juan and we would advise our readers to accept this opportunity of visiting the Island. Twelve hundred people reside on San Juan and they appear to be prosperous and contented.

ON THE WING.

Movements of People We Know and have Read of.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ferris arrived in this city on Saturday.

Mr. P. Murphy arrived on the Mexico to-day.

Ex-Mayor Dalby has gone up to Chilliwhack to attend the exhibition.

Mr. D. W. Higgins is representing the *Colonist* at the Provincial exhibition.

Mr. Abe Ellis returned from Ontario on Saturday.

Mr. A. Maitland Stenhouse, M. P. P. for Comox, arrived in the city on Saturday night. He will remain about a week.

His Highness the Thakore Sahib, of Limbdi, India, has arrived at Winnipeg *en route* for this coast. He is returning home from the jubilee celebration.

Father Reid, Chaplain of the House of Providence, Montreal, and Father Charpentier arrived from the east on Saturday evening. They remained at the residence of the clergy on Yates street during Sunday and left for Portland this morning.

Passengers by the North Pacific to-day: [illegible] Williams, Hilday, Germain, Miss Morris, Mrs Francis, Miss Harlow, Miss Morgan, Mrs Campbell, Miss White, H Drinieb, Patterson, Miss Foltz, Bohan, Mrs O'Riley, Miss O'Riley, Stunbridge, wife and child, McManus and wife, Mrs Mahon and child, Mrs Gustein and child, Miss Monihan, Miss Hooker, Mrs W R Clarke, Miss Oldburn, A Veller, Mrs Baker and three children, C J Benhaise, G S Allen, J A Britton, Bolton, J Gun, J Rilter, J McCord, Hughes, Mrs Le Prince, Baker, M Cox, N Vele, A White, W O Gregg, Hastings and wife, Miss Jones, J G Swan, P Godfrey, Farley, Mudge, Miller, A Dobbs.

POLICE COURT.

[Before E. Johnson, Q. C., S. M.]

Louis Peters, charged with assaulting W. Crowan. Dismissed.

John Fury, charged with an infraction of the Street By-law. Charge withdrawn.

Consignees.

Per the Mexico from San Francisco: Angus & Gordon, A Bossi & Co, A Lawrence, A Dobbs, A & W Wilson, A J McLeleen, Albion Iron Works, B C P Co care of J Englehardt, N W, B A P Co care of J Englehardt, Canoe Pass, Boucherat & Co, Belmont T B & S Co, Bechtel Bros, Burrard Inlet Ferry Co, B Lewis, British Col F Co, C McDonough, Carne & Munsie, C P N Co, C Morley, Conlin & Cameron, Carter Bros, C Strouss & Co, C Zoelle, Colbert & Warner, C Fisher, Esquimalt, C Williams, C Saner, Cowanchet & McMellon, Vancouver, Clark & Co, C W Rogers, D E Campbell, Decker Bros, D McPhadden, E Legge, E S Scoullar & Co, E B Marvin, Englehardt, E G Prior, Fell & Co, G W Campbell, G W Henry, G Vienna, G Morison, H Saunders, H Stephen, H L Lilley, Hip Lung, Hing Lee, H F Sieward, H Mansell, Hudson Bay Co, J E Sully, J Fisher, J Wriglesworth, J Braden, J & A Clearihue, J Canning, J W Andzejewski, J Sehl, J H Baker, J Cunningham, J H Todd & Son, J Barnsley, J Weiler, Kwong On Tai, Langley & Co, L Willie, Matthews R & T, M St Clair, McLachlan Bros, Moore & Co, McDonald & Co, Marvin & T, Neufelder & Ross, Nicholles & Renouf, N Portman, Phoenix Cannery, Lulu Island, P Gable, Nanaimo, P McQuade, R V Winch, R Maynard, R Borthwick, R Baker & Son, R Lettice, R T Williams, Royal City P M Co, S J Pitts, Sing Lee, S L Jones & Co, S L Kelly & Co, Sun Wo Tong, S Leiser, Turner Beeton & Co, T W Fletcher, T Shotbolt, T Crosby, T N Hibben & Co, T T Burns, T Earle, Victoria Gas Co, Vair & Brooks, W McColl, W Eckert, W Heathorn, W Croft, W Teitjen, W Wilson, Wing On, W H Kinniston, Calgary, Wah Chung, Welch R & Co, Wells Fargo & Co, Yee Yuen, Yuen Lung, Northern Pacific Ex Co.

By the North Pacific: Angus & G, M R & T, Langley & Co, Marvin & T, N Portman, Redgrave & E, Openheimer Bros, W Heathorn, W R Austin, N & Ross.

The Place for Bargains.

J. Sehl has just opened, in addition to his well assorted stock of Furniture, Carpets, Oil Cloth and Linoleum, a complete line of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, and Bar Glasses, the finest ever offered in the country, at remarkably low prices, having arrived before the advance in freight rates.

The Rasconie Company's woollen mill at Acton, Que., was totally destroyed by fire on Thursday. A hundred employees have thus been thrown out of work.

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

Canada to Make the Survey for the Pacific Cable.

The Yacht Race---Anarchists' Wives to Suicide, &c.

A BELFAST MOB.

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—In Belfast last night a mob wrecked an inn and pelted the police with stones.

NAPOLEON'S REMAIN'S.

PARIS, Sept. 26.—The *Gaulois* publishes a report which it does not credit to the effect that the remains of Napoleon have been stolen from the tombs in the Hotel des Invalides.

MEETINGS DISPERSED.

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—In Belfast last night a mob wrecked an inn and pelted the police with stones. The police were reinforced and order was restored. Several league meetings in Clare were dispersed yesterday by the police without resistance.

JOINING AYOUB'S STANDARD.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Advices to-day from Cabul, the capital of Afghanistan, under date Sept. 16th, state that Abdullah Khan, Commander of the Zamindwar army of the Ameer, fled with 2000 soldiers and went to join Ayoub Kahn, and safely reached Koijamain, in northern Beloochistan on the 12th, Ayoub being there at that time.

WITH FIXED BAYONETS.

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—Baliffs accompanied by a body of police, seized a number of cattle belonging to a family named Surley, at Kolbarny to-day. A crowd attacked the officers with stones and pitchforks. The police charged their assailants with fixed bayonets and bayonetted several, but they were obliged to retreat without the cattle.

SHOT ON THE FRONTIER.

PARIS, Sept. 26.—The *Temps* publishes a telegram from Epinal, saying: A lieutenant of Dragoons, accompanied by a gamekeeper, while out shooting at Raobeur Plaines, near the frontier, yesterday, was fired at by a invisible marksman in German territory. The gamekeeper was killed and the lieutenant's thigh bone was fractured. The surgeons affirm that the shots were fired by the military, and say that the lieutenant's thigh will have to be amputated. It is believed the shots were fired by customs officials.

AMERICAN NEWS.

SMALL-POX.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—Louis Beitbold, butcher, died from small-pox to-day.

CARS TELESCOPE.

AUSTIN, Nev., Sept. 24.—Two cars of wood got away from two brakemen on the Austin City railway this morning and telescoped six flat cars; damage $2000.

EMBRACERY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—The trial of ex-Senator D. J. Creighton, charged with jury fixing, commenced to-day.

SUICIDED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—Alfred Haas, a despondent restaurant proprietor, ended his troubles this morning by blowing out his brains with a revolver.

THE SHARP CASE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The decision in the Sharp case has been affirmed by the general terms of the Supreme Court. All four judges concur.

CHOLERA PATIENTS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Two of the quarantined cholera patients died on Saturday night and one yesterday morning. Twenty-three of the Alesia's passengers are now very ill; the others are improving.

CARDINAL GIBBONS.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 26.—Cardinal Gibbons, accompanied by Rev. Dr. Chappelle, of Washington, left Baltimore this morning for the west. Portland, Or., is the Cardinal's objective point, where he will confer the Pallium on Archbishop Gross.

THE CHICAGO SOCIALISTS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—The socialists and the sympathizers with the condemned anarchists held a largely attended meeting at Turner's hall yesterday. Several defiant speeches were delivered amid great enthusiasm, and resolutions were adopted denouncing the Supreme Court.

FACTION FIGHT.

PRESCOTT, Ar., Sept. 24.—Under Sheriff Waddell to-day received word from Sheriff Mulvenon in Tonto Basin, that a fight had occurred there on the 18th, and that Thomas Graham, Joseph Ellingswood and a man named Middleton, were killed on Graham's side, and George Newton and James Timsberry on the Tewksberry side.

ALL PREPARATIONS MADE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The Volunteer was lowered into the water from South Brooklyn Dockyard this morning. Sails were soon bent and the centre board hung. Final preparations are also completed on the Thistle. Capt. Barr said he was praying for good and fresh breezes. "The papers say the Volunteer can beat us in a stiff weather," said he with a wink, "but I hope we will have it just that way.

THE ANARCHISTS' WIVES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—"If those anarchists are hanged their wives will kill their children and then commit suicide," said Mrs. Captain Black to-day. "Nina Van Zandt has frequently assured me that if her husband, August Spies, goes to the scaffold, she will die by her own hand the same hour. Other women tell me the same thing." According to Mrs. Black, Miss Van Zandt is not alone in her insane infatuation. She declares that a beautiful and wealthy girl is in love with Lingg. The parents of the deluded woman had to lock her up to keep her away from the jail.

LENGTH OF THISTLE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The last vestige of a cloud which might have obscured the prospective view of a magnificent yacht race, was dissipated yesterday by the decision of Geo. L. Schuyler, referee, that any discrepancy between the stated water line length of the Thistle and the water line length as obtained by actual measurement is not sufficient to disqualify the Thistle from starting in the race. Yachtsmen regard the decision with much satisfaction, because the facts that have come to light since the controversy arose have shown that from the beginning to the end Bell, the representative of the owners of the Thistle, has acted in a most sportsmanlike manner and [illegible]

at no time sought to obtain any unfair advantage for his boat.

THE SALMON MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—Advices today from London report a very firm and active market for salmon, and therefore, there are no apparent signs of the advanced prices having affected consumption. Both retailers and dealers are continually and regularly replenishing their supplies and as they are merely buying for their immediate necessities, the volume of trade now doing proves conclusively how bare the general market is of stock.

The Liverpool market is also very firm and steady. Sales continue in spite of the high prices ruling. The catch is extremely short, and large contracts fall through entirely as the Eastern States take all that have been packed. Many packers only promise to deliver the surplus which is now *nil.*

THE TRIAL TRIP.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—The new steel steamer Premier, constructed at the ship yard of the Union Iron Works for the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, was given a public trial trip to-day. Henry T. Scott and wife, General Manager Irving of the Canadian Pacific, Chas. Nessier, the Edinburg shipbuilder, J. N. Knowles, William Prescott Scott, and Charles T. Watson, were among those on board. An extemporized course was laid off, being 2½ miles in length. The Premier, by contract, was to attain a speed of 15 knots an hour. On the first trip over the course against the tide, she averaged 15.2 knots. The second trip was with the tide, and the average speed was 17.87 knots. After cruising around the bay another double test was made over a measured course. This time the machinery was working better and she attained a speed of 15.5 knots against the tide and 16.1 with it. The average of the four trials is 15.67 knots.

CANADIAN NEWS.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

OTTAWA, Sept. 26.—Minister Foster stated to-day in an interview, that the Dominion Government will propose to parliament that Canada will take the first step in laying the proposed Pacific Cable, by inaugurating this spring a preliminary survey. The Government will fit out a vessel, thoroughly equipped for the survey, and invitations will be sent to the Australian Colonial Government to appoint delegates to participate. He believes that active work will begin on the cable within a year. The Canadian Government has been offered ample capital in London to prosecute the work alone without the aid of Australia.

DISGRACEFUL PERSECUTION.

OTTAWA, Sept. 26.—An attack was made last night on the Salvation Army while parading through the principal streets of the city, in which some 500 roughs took part. The timely arrival of the police prevented a serious conflict between the Army and their assailants. Several of the Salvationists, as well as a number of the assaulting party, received bad beatings. There is influence being brought to bear to drive the Salvationists out of the city.

KILLED THEM ALL.

QUEBEC, Sept. 24.—Three children, while playing on the island to-day, where the artillery competition was recently held, found a shell and lit the fuse. The bomb exploded and killed them all.

MILLER AND DRING MURDER.

The Investigation Resumed To-Day--Damaging Evidence.

The case of Quamlet, the alleged murderer of Miller and Dring, was resumed in the Provincial Court to-day. Mr. S. P. Mills appeared for the defence.

Sally, a Salmon River Indian, sworn—Witness' father was named Kaiwoos; he was hanged at Nanaimo; Quamlet was a witness against him; know the prisoner; he is my father's brother; shortly after the hanging witness was sitting in her father's house crying; Quamlet came in and put his hand on witness' forehead and told her not to cry as she would find out shortly what he would do. Witness made no reply, because she was angry with him for some time because he had given evidence which was the cause of the death of her father. The next time Quamlet called it was just about dark and he was accompanied by Johnnie. The prisoner said, "Don't have a bad opinion of me any more; don't think any more about what I did with your father, for I have made amendment, I killed two white men near Chemainus." Witness thought Johnnie was at Chemainus with prisoner; Quamlet did not say whether Johnnie was with him. The conversation took place shortly after her father was hanged. Johnnie is dead; don't know how he died.

C. Wilson, sworn: Am employed on the steamer Amelia; was in Nanaimo about the time Kaiwoos was hanged; knew Miller and Dring well; knew the hangman by sight; there was a marked resemblance between Dring and the hangman in their stature; they were about 50 years old; their height was over six feet.

John Flewin, sworn: Knew Miller and Dring; also knew the hangman; there was a very strong resemblance between Dring and the hangman in height and age; their beards were somewhat alike, the hangman's beard being a trifle lighter. They were both over six feet, raw-boned and heavy. Have known Miller for 15 or 16 years and Dring for five or six years. The hangman died a short time ago.

Mr. Mills, prisoner's counsel, reserved the defense for the Assizes.

The prisoner was committed for trial.

MARINE.

The Mexico left for the Sound ports at 1 p. m. to-day.

The Argyleshire, loaded with rice, arrived in Royal Roads yesterday.

The bark R. K Strews is anchored outside the harbor.

The Titania sailed to-day for Liverpool.

The Commodore, bound for Departure Bay, arrived this morning.

The Sir James Douglas left at noon for Nanaimo and the Gulf of Georgia.

The steamships Walla Walla and Wilmington passed down from Departure Bay yesterday.

The Mexico arrived at [illegible] this morning from San Francisco. She brought 135 tons of freight for Victoria, 300 for Vancouver, [illegible] for Port Townsend, [illegible] tons.

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SENATOR McMASTER.

Senator McMaster died in Toronto on the morning of the 23rd, while addressing a meeting in McMaster hall. Hon. W. McMaster was an Irishman by birth, and was born in 1811. He was for many years a prominent wholesale merchant of Toronto, and took a leading part in almost every public and philanthropical question. He was founder and for many years President of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. He donated $100,000 to the Baptist College and was Chairman of the Board of Trustees of that institution. He was now, or at one time, a member of the Senate of the University of Toronto; President of the Freehold Permanent Building & Saving Society; Vice-President of the Confederate Life Association; a Director of the Toronto General Trust Co., and of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway, and was for many years connected with the Board of the Great Western Railway. He was a Liberal in politics, an earnest Christian worker, and a universally respected citizen.

MR. W. S. CAINE, M. P.

The present position of the member for Barrow-in-Furness, who is now at the Driard, exemplifies the twisted condition of English politics. A Liberal or rather a Radical in belief, he gives all his votes to the Tory party, and he tries to help Tories into parliament. An extreme dissenter—a Baptist—he votes with the hereditary enemies of religious liberty. An ardent teetotaller, he is hissed off a teetotal platform because he has deserted Mr. Gladstone, and Sir Wilfred Lawson, the president of the United Kingdom alliance has to interfere for his protection. In an unhappy moment he writes a letter, saying that "Mr. Bright and I are of opinion," and torrents of sarcasm and of fun are poured out on him for his supposed arrogance, inasmuch as a a youthful and minor politician classing himself on terms of equality with Mr. Bright was not to be easily borne. Finally Mr. Gladstone early promoted Mr. Caine to office, and now he is a bitter opponent of Mr. Gladstone. However, Mr. Caine's study of Home Rule in Canada and the United States may enlighten his mind and strengthen his ideas in that direction. It has been said of him that it was an evil day for the Gladstonians when Mr. William Sproston Caine "went to the bad." There is no one among the younger men who has done half so much of the drudgery of political work as he. At the last election he was the life and soul of the Liberal battle in London, and one is afraid to say how many hundreds of meetings he addressed during the campaign. Whenever the local managers said that an M. P. was wanted, away went Mr. Caine—no matter how remote the suburb or how scanty the meeting—and wherever he went he went down, for he has rough and ready, homely, John Bull a kind of oratory which suited your ordinary frequenter of public meetings to a "t." And then Mr. Caine was known as a staunch Radical—of the dissenting and teetotal type, as much at home in a pulpit as on the platform. Mr. W. S. Caine was Civil Lord of the Admiralty 1884-85 and his election for Barrow last April (1886) will be fresh in every ones memory. Mr. Caine thinks the time has come for a final settlement of the Irish question—only the end of the Irish question must be the beginning of an English one, for "the new system of self government in Ireland should be a model on which could be moulded a complete system for the whole of the United Kingdom." Mr. Caine was formerly an iron merchant at Liverpool, was educated privately at Birkenhead, and is now 44. He has one amiable trait that one would hardly expect to find in this "genial ruffian:" He is fond of pictures, and has a particularly good collection of water colors.

A UNIVERSAL "CHINOOK."

Volapux is the name of the new language which is expected to effect such important changes in the means of communication between persons of different nationalities. Colonel Charles C. Sprague, who is preparing a handbook of this new language recently delivered an address on the subject in New York. From his statements it appears that the peculiar method of talking and writing is being much more generally received in Europe than upon this side of the Atlantic. At present there are ten periodicals and about eighty societies devoted to its study. The number who have mastered its simple details is said to be over one hundred thousand. The language was invented by Father J. M. Schleyer, a German priest. He began to publicly consider the subject in 1881, his first idea being to compound from the simple and more regular parts of modern tongues a sort of artificial language that could be easily acquired by the people of any nation. This would furnish a language which would be to the modern business world what Latin has been to scholars irrespective of nationality. To accomplish this he took for his frame work the five common vowel sounds, added the dotted *a*, *o*, *u*, and the common consonant sounds, omitting those from each language which persons born to another tongue cannot pronounce. To make up a vocabulary he took about 40 per cent. of the root words from English and the rest from modern European languages. The same root word is never used to mean two different things. The declensions are arranged by adding vowels to the roots. The plurals are formed by addition of s, as in the English method. As the rules are absolutely without exception the Volapux grammar may be learned in a week. It is not claimed that Volapux is especially adapted for fine writing, either in poetry or prose. But when it comes to commercial purposes it is claimed that it is fully equal to all requirements. Although this language may never take the place of the perfect human tongue, which was lost at the building of the tower of Babel, there is no reason why it should not be so perfected that it will become thoroughly international and supply all business needs between the countries of Europe and America.

INLAND NEWS.

The Terror of the Rockies—Launch of the Jubilee.

[From the Sentinel.]

There are only three patients now in the hospital—R J. McLeod, of Spallumcheen, having returned home cured on Tuesday last.

Mr. Geo. Loney has returned to town from a prospecting trip to his mines, about 40 miles up the North Thompson. He has brought with him some very fine samples of coal, which is found to be highly combustible, and a first-class article in every respect.

The brass band organized some months ago, and allowed to expire for want of support, was re-organized on Wednesday. The following officers were elected: Mr J T Edwards, president; Mr Jas McIntosh, vice-president; Mr W E McCartney, treasurer; Mr P S Renier, secretary; Mr Stuart Wood, financial secretary.

There has been quite a boom in real estate at Ashcroft recently, Mr. J. C. Barnes having disposed of a number of lots for building purposes. A harbinger of civilization, in the shape of a lock-up, is also being erected. The gaol used at Savona's Ferry during railway construction has been removed to that place, and a constable will shortly be appointed.

The new road between Ashcroft and the wagon road near Cornwall's is drawing to completion. Mr. P. Parke, the contractor, is carrying on the work with energy. The hands employed are principally Indians.

W. Bradley has made a purchase of about 100 cattle from Oliver Evans, and shipped them to the Northwest.

A petition is being signed by the residents of Priest's Valley to the B. C. post office inspector at Victoria, with a view to change the name of the post office to Vernon.

The Victoria hotel, Priest's Valley, has changed hands, Messrs. McEdwards and Tronson having sold out their interest to Mr. Jos. Christian, of Okanagan Mission.

The terror of the Rockies is not extinct as some suppose. An Indian, who goes by the name of "Caltus Dick," was badly mangled by a grizzly this week, a few miles from Priest Valley. The Indian carried a double-barrelled muzzle loading gun, which had been exposed to the heavy rain that fell the day previous, allowing the powder to become damp. When the Indian sighted his game and endeavored to shoot him, the gun snapped twice without effect, leaving the scout to the mercy of his savage foe. The grizzly, which was devouring the remains of a deer when first sighted, left his repast and made direct for the Indian. Seizing him in its powerful grasp it tore the poor fellow's hands to shreds, scalped him and otherwise mangled him. The Indian fainted from the effect of the wounds and from loss of blood. A Klootchman who saw the struggle went for assistance, but the bear made off before succour arrived. The mangled and bleeding body of the Indian was taken to the nearest house, where every effort was made to relieve his pain and restore him if possible. His recovery is doubtful.

On Thursday last the "Jubilee," with new boiler and engine, was launched on Lake Okanagan, south of Priest Valley. About twenty assembled to witness the launch and render what assistance lay in their power to Capt. Short in floating the steamer. A jollier crowd never assembled on the shore of our great lake, and with that vim characteristic of the young men of Priest Valley, all lent a willing hand, and exactly at the hour of 3:30 the launch of "Jubilee" was successfully made amid cheers from the crowd. The union jack was immediately unfurled, and, as is usual in all launches, the bottle of wine was broken over the bow of the craft, Col. O'Hara doing the honors, and the name "Jubilee" was attached to it. A short spurt down the lake proved the excellent seagoing qualities and swiftness of the boat.

China-Japan Mail.

Canadian Gazette: Sir Charles Tupper has induced Mr. Raikes, the Postmaster-General, to make an important change in the recent arrangement for the conveyance of letters to China and Japan *via* the Canadian Pacific route. The Post Office, it will be remembered, required that all letters for this route should be superscribed "*via* Vancouver." Thereupon Sir Charles pointed out to Mr. Raikes that as the steamers plying between Vancouver and the East, in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway, are dependent on their cargoes, they are sometimes unable to start until after the advertised date of departure. Consequently, letters for the east marked "*via* Vancouver" are liable to delay, and the result is, that under the Vancouver superscription the Canadian route must be discredited. Sir Charles' representations were successful, and he induced Mr. Raikes to consent to an alteration in the original arrangement. In future all letters for the East to be transmitted by the Canadian route are to be superscribed "*via* Montreal" instead of "*via* Vancouver." Should any delay in the departure of steamers from Vancouver be probable, the officials at Montreal will be made aware of the fact, and letters will be forwarded *via* San Francisco as usual. Thus possible loss of time will be avoided.

From Surgeon-General Bergin, M. D, M. P., Ottawa, May 21, 1884.—Mr. B. Laurance.—Dear Sir: I cannot let you leave the city without expressing my satisfaction with the spectacles I had from you. I find that I can read the smallest print perfectly and without fatigue to the eye for an hour or more, which I have not hitherto been able to do since I commenced the use of spectacles. B. Bergin, M.D.

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three bottles of this medicine I have been entirely cured. My sight has been restored, and there is no sign of inflammation, sore, or ulcer in my eye. —Kendal T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.

My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted with Scrofulous Sore Eyes. During the last two years she never saw light of any kind. Physicians of the highest standing exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a friend I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which my daughter commenced taking. Before she had used the third bottle her sight was restored. Her cure is complete. —W. E. Sutherland, Evangelist, Shelby City, Ky.

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NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections sixty, sixty-one, sixty-three, sixty-four, sixty-five and sixty-six on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Section west half forty-six, west half forty-seven, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-one, and fifty-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. S M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situated on East side of upper Columbia Lake, on a small Creek about 2½ miles South of Armstrong Creek; the South East corner of said land to commence at an initial stake on said Creek and run thence North ½ mile, thence West ½ mile to shore of lake thence South ½ mile along lake shore and thence East ½ mile to initial stake.

WM. HARDIE.

Columbia Lakes, Kootenay B. C. April 30th 1887.
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NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections nine, ten, eleven and twelve on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake,

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one thousand acres of arable land in the Kootenay District and described as follows.

Commencing at a post within thirty chains of Six Mile (or Jubelee) Creek; thence northeast four miles; thence northwest about half a mile; thence southwest four miles; thence southeast about half a mile to initial post.

J. G. NORRIS,
Joseph's Prairie, Kootenay.

June 14th, 1887. july11 law 2m

Land Applications.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections five, six, seven, fourteen and thirteen on the map of Galiano Island deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections one, two, three and four on the map of Galiano Island deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Sooke River, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.

Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in Rupert District, Vancouver Island, and described as follows:

Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot No. 15; thence true south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. A. GREEN.
F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

August 2, 1887. sep2 law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the land comprised in the group of Islands lying off Montague Harbor, Galiano Island, Cowichan District, viz.: the unoccupied portion of Parker Island, Twin Islands, Wise Island, Charles Island, Julia Island, Sphynx Island, Retreat Island off Retreat Cove; also the three Islands not named on chart, the whole comprising about 400 acres.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

July 30, 1887. au4 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the unoccupied and vacant land on the north end of Thetis Island, contiguous to the pre-emption claim of Charles Myers, containing 200 acres, more or less; also Tent Island, lying southeast of Keeper Island, containing thirty acres, more or less, Cowichan District.

GEO. THOMSON.

August 1, 1887. au4 law 2m

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the pastoral land on Narrow Island, Trincomalee Channel, Cowichan District, said to contain one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, said island being the abandoned pre-emption claim of J. A. Hutson.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

Narrow Island, Aug. 15, 1887. aug16 law 2m

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres pastoral land, situated on Salt Spring Island, Cowichan District, commencing at the northwest corner of Piercy Roberts' pre-emption claim, then following the meanderings of the shore line to the northeast corner of Pottinger's claim to point of commencement. The above is the land formerly occupied by John Henning, and now abandoned by him.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

Salt Spring Island, Aug. 15, 1887. au16 2m law

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 56 Sooke District, thence due north 60 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 100 chains to N. E. corner of Section 52, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.

R. E. JACKSON.

Victoria B. C. 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following said river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 48, 47, 46 Sooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51, and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law

NOTICE is hereby given that I have made application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land containing one thousand acres more or less situated on Cortez Island, commencing from a post situated on the shore of the west side of Cortez Island, southeast of Plunger Pass; thence east twenty (20) chains; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence east one hundred and twenty (120) chains; thence north one hundred and twenty (120) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence north forty (40) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence south forty (40) chains; thence west forty (40) chains, more or less, to a stake situated on the west shore of Cortez Island; thence along the water's edge to place of commencement.

MOSES C. IRELAND.

Victoria, 1st Sept., 1887. sep2 1m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the unoccupied land situate on the north end of Salt Spring Island and described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 2; thence following the meanderings of the shore line in a northerly and easterly direction to the northwest corner of E. J. Rosman's pre-emption claim, No. 165; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence in a southerly direction, following the western boundary of section 7, Range 1 north, to the northwest corner of Lot 5; thence in a northwesterly direction, following the northern boundary of Lot 4 for a distance of 46 chains, more or less; thence due north 59.70 chains; thence due west 47 95 chains to the point of commencement, containing 500 acres more or less.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

August 1, 1887. aug2 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-nine, forty-two, forty-three, east half of forty-six, southeast half of forty-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six and ninety-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections eighty-four, eighty-five, ninety, ninety-one and ninety-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiry of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections seventy-one, seventy-two, north half of seventy-three, seventy-five, seventy-six and seventy-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july 14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to make application, two months after date, to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, of pastoral lands, said lands being the Islands in Oyster Harbor, Nanaimo District.

ALFRED RAPER.
ELIJAH PRIEST.

Nanaimo, B. C., July 8, 1887. jul12 law 2m

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Pursuant to the order of Sir M. Begbie, Knight Chief Justice, made this day, the undersigned has been appointed Receiver of all the estate credits and effects, both real and personal of the VICTORIA TRANSFER CO. Ld., and all parties indebted to the said Company are notified to pay the same to me forthwith, and to no other person.

The Garnishee Order made by Mr. Justice Gray was rescinded on the 22nd August instant.

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YOUNG FOLKS' COLUMN.

THE CITY OF ALGIERS AND ITS MOTLEY INHABITANTS.

Sea Lions from Alaska That Entertain Visitors in Central Park—Some of the Legends Told About the Bright Hued Kingfisher.

The city of Algiers, in far away Africa, is divided into two distinct towns. The French district with boulevards and modern buildings, and the Arab district with steep, narrow streets and beautiful doorways through which glimpses may be obtained of Moorish courts, picturesque fountains, crowded bazars and other characteristic details of Oriental life.

AN ARAB.

The inhabitants of Algiers are as distinct as the districts. There are the natives from all the surrounding regions—Moors or Arabs, Kabyles or Berbers, and the negroes from the interior. The white element is represented by Frenchmen, Spaniards, Portuguese, Italians and Jews. The cut shows the figure of an Arab reading the Koran. He is half reclining on a cushion with a turban on his head and dressed, as were his forefathers, in baggy trousers and loose burnouse hanging in graceful folds from his shoulders.

Birds in Japan.

In Japan the birds are regarded as sacred, and never under any pretense are they permitted to be destroyed. During the stay of Commodore Perry in that country a few of his officers started on a gunning excursion. No sooner did the people observe the cruel slaughtering of their favorites than a number of them waited upon the commodore and remonstrated against the conduct of the officers. There was no more bird shooting in Japan by American officers after that; and when the treaty between the two countries was concluded, one express condition of it was that the birds should be protected. What a commentary upon the inhuman practice of our people who indiscriminately shoot everything in the form of a bird which has the misfortune to come within the range of their murderous weapons.

On the top of tombstones in Japan a small cavity or trough is chiseled which the priests every morning fill with fresh water for the birds. Enlightened America, Mr. Bergh, president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, thinks, should imitate these customs of the heathen Japanese, if not by providing water for the feathered warblers, at least by protecting them from vagabonds who uselessly destroy them or rob their nests.

Alaska Visitors in Central Park.

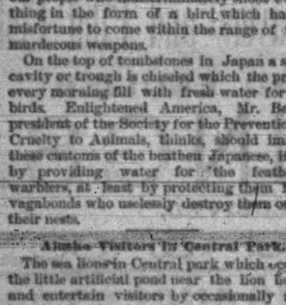
The sea lions in Central park which occupy the little artificial pond near the lion house, and entertain visitors by occasionally rearing their heads above the water and giving utterance to terrific roars, come from Alaska by boat to San Francisco. From San Francisco they were transferred to New York in a great refrigerator car. There are eight of these sea lions, five cows and three bulls. When at home in the cold north the sea lions devote a large portion of the day to catching fish. In Central park they do not have to go a fishing for their suppers, but drowse lazily upon the stone copings, until tiring of this they dive deep into the water below. They are fed on fish supplied from the Fulton market by the keeper who has them in charge.

The Kingfisher and Its Legends.

The kingfisher is one of the few bright colored birds [illegible] brilliance in flight, but are, when on the wing, as bright as when at rest.

There came, swift as a meteor's shining flame,
A kingfisher from out the brake,
And almost seemed to leave a wake
Of brilliant hues behind.

As the bird darts along its horizontal course, just above the surface of the water, its flight is so swift that it looks as if a blue streak had been drawn through the air.



THE KINGFISHER.

The bird lives almost entirely upon fish, as its name implies, and a correspondent in Golden Days describes its manner of catching them. Selecting some object which overhangs the water, it takes its perch upon it, and with its big beak sunken on its breast, awaits the approach of its prey. Suddenly, it may be seen to drop from the perch into the water, and to emerge with a fish in its beak. Returning to the perch, it bangs the fish against it, throws it up in the air, catches it with its head downward, and swallows it.

Many readers will remember the graceful legend of Alcyone, the daughter of Neptune and the wife of Ceyx, who, for love of her drowned husband, plunged into the sea and was changed into a kingfisher together with him. Around this legend cluster many others, numbered with which is the one about the kingfisher, building on the seashore a fragile nest and then launching it upon the waves. As so delicate a structure would be shattered by the slightest storm, it was thought that from seven days before the winter solstice to seven days after it, the weather was perfectly calm. This period was known as the "halcyon days"—a term familiar to all.

Work Done With a Bee's Sting.

The bee's sting, says Naturalist Clark, is by no means made for stinging only, but is used in doing the artistic cell work, capping the comb and infusing the formic acid, by means of which honey receives its keeping qualities. The sting is really a skillfully contrived little trowel with which the bee finishes off and caps the cells when they are filled brimful of honey. This explains why honey extracted before it is capped over does not keep well. The formic acid has not been injected into it.

Each Took Half.

"Do you understand about notes of hand?" asked one of the market whitewashers of a standkeeper the other day.

"I think so."

"Wall, I had a feller's note for $20. It ain't due till de 1st of July, but las' nite he paid me half of it."

"And you indorsed the amount on the back of the note?"

"I did, hey! Was dat de way to do?"

"Of course. How did you do?"

"Cut de note in two an' gin him half!"—Detroit Free Press.

A German Compliment.

A crooked compliment was paid a German young lady, who said:

"Now, Herr Lieutenant, if you don't at once cease your flatteries I shall have to hold both my ears shut."

"My adorable Fraulein," answered the officer, "your pretty little hands are far too small for that."—Chambers' Journal.

ALL AROUND THE HOUSE.

A Few Facts of Interest Regarding Window Gardens.

Window gardens are growing more than ever in favor with flower lovers who have no space and little time to devote to a flower garden. Beside they add greatly to the attractiveness of a house, and are being appreciated and utilized as an inexpensive and convenient method of decoration. The prime requisites for a window garden are good drainage for the box, a suitable soil and plenty of vines. The box may be of wood, plain or ornamental, or of wire lined with moss. The soil should be such as used in potting plants. Of suitable vines there is such a multitude that one can hardly go amiss in selecting them. For the center plants of the box any favorites that will thrive in the open border will do well. Of all ways in which to indulge a taste for flowers the window garden is the easiest.

The Best Way to Freshen Salt Fish.

Salted fish is a wholesome food, much used by country folk during the hot summer months. An objection to it arises from the length of time required to freshen, so it will be palatable and not create thirst. A country housewife says that soaking over night in sour milk is the nicest way to freshen salmon, mackerel and salted halibut. Lay the skin side down, and put in enough of the sour milk to entirely cover the fish. When used rinse thoroughly in cold water till the water is clear, then boil a trifle. Too much boiling makes the fish hard. Turn off the water and cook in cream or butter, or broil on the gridiron. Salt pork also is much better freshened over night in sour milk.

Dainty Summer Curtains.

Dainty curtains for summer rooms are made of deep cream colored cheese cloth with cross stripes of dull pink and golden olive silk faced velvet set between antique insertion or applied over the cheese cloth. A valance for the top of the curtains is composed of two bands of velvet with cheese cloth showing between. At the lower edge a deep fringe of balls or tassels of crewel and silk may be used as a finish. Along the inner edge and bottom is an edging of antique lace.

Napkins and Doilies.

Very pretty fruit napkins are made of fine white linen; make each one half a yard square. Fringe out the four edges an inch and a half deep and whip the fringe to prevent its fraying. Dorcas contributes the cut in which may be seen illustrations of both fruit napkins and finger doilies, and gives the following directions for decorating and finishing the same.

FRUIT NAPKINS AND FINGER BOWL DOILIES.

Make a row of fine drawn work just above the fringe on the fruit napkins, and feather stitch work with whatever color is used for embroidering the napkin. A border of strawberries may then be embroidered just above the feather stitching, and in the space left in the middle of the napkin a quotation from Shakespeare embroidered in clear, delicate lettering. A different fruit may be used for each napkin, also different colored silk. In some instances the fruit may be scattered over the napkin instead of being used only as a border.

Finger bowl doilies are also made in the same way, but are cut smaller—seven inches [illegible] drawn work and embroidered just above the fringe. Starting across the doily, the Shakespeare quotations are faintly traced, first with pencil, going over the lines afterward with a fine camel's hair brush and India ink. Any pretty lettering will answer that can be worked to show the words plainly.

The wash silks, which are fast colors, must be used for such work, as they will retain their color when washed, although perhaps it is still safer to dip them in alum water. One thread of the filoselle will be sufficiently heavy for such delicate lettering, and a row of feather stitching is worked with it also, above the drawn work.

Gold, cardinal, blue and olive are pretty colors and a doily worked with olive silk and waving clover leaves intermingled with the letters is a very pretty design. One color only should be used for each doily.

Numbered with popular quotations are: "Now good digestion wait on appetite, and health on both," and "Health and fair time of day, joy and good wishes."

An Appetizing Breakfast Dish.

The trimmings of cold boiled or roasted ham may be utilized in a very appetizing breakfast dish of ham and eggs on toast. Chop the ham fine and spread it upon delicate slices of buttered toast, and place in the oven for three or four minutes. Beat up six eggs with half a cupful of milk; add a little pepper and salt. Put this in a saucepan over the fire, add two ounces of butter and stir till it begins to thicken. Take it off the fire, stir for a moment, then spread on the ham and serve immediately.

A Dusty Carpet.

Constant sweeping is what wears out carpets. A carpet often looks dusty so soon after it has been swept that you know it does not really need sweeping again. In that case, wet a cloth or sponge and wipe off the dust. A few drops of ammonia in the water will brighten the colors.

Household Helps.

Egg stains on silver can be taken off with table salt and a wet rag.

Finger marks may be removed from varnished furniture by the use of a little sweet oil upon a soft cloth.

To clean nickel on stoves, wet soda with ammonia, apply with an old tooth brush and rub off with a woolen cloth.

Tea or coffee stains will come out at once if they are taken immediately and held over a pail while boiling water is poured upon them.

To avoid having fat left in soups, it is safer to allow them to get entirely cold, when the fat can be easily skimmed off. Just enough can be heated each time the soup is served.

When using stale bread for puddings or [illegible], always soak it in a cold liquid. [illegible] that has been soaked in cold milk or [illegible] is light and crumbly, whereas that [illegible] in hot liquids is heavy.

The Fashions in Finger Rings.

In finger rings the shanks for the most part continue small, and in many cases quite plain, though one sees occasionally a ring with double shank, one of which may be in rope pattern, while another is in plain circlet. The two stone ring, in which appears a diamond and colored gem, is fashionable, and is preferred by many to the cluster and marquise rings, though the two last mentioned are as popular at the present time as any dealer could wish. A beautiful ring seen was an opal of oval shape surrounded by three clustered rows of small diamonds. The most remarkable fact to be recorded concerning finger rings is the freedom with which they are worn by men. The English style of rings, in which the stones are sunk in the gold, find in favor though other fashions prevail.—Jeweler's Circular.

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Notices.

NOTICE.

Messrs. Rand Bros.

HAVING closed their Victoria Branch, all communications addressed to them will be attended to by the B. C. Land and Investment Company [L'd.] sep8 1m

NOTICE.

DRS. McSWAIN & DEARDEN respectfully notify all parties indebted to them for professional services or otherwise, that all accounts must be paid on or before the 12th September, and all accounts standing against the firm must be presented before that date, as Dr. McSwain intends leaving the Province for the Winter. Bills settled either at the office, Fort street, or Dr. McSwain's residence, Pandora street.

Victoria, August 29, 1887. aug29 tf

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

SECTION 69, Lake District.—Whereas the Certificate of Title of Bernard F. Dillon, of Esquimalt District, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned section, bearing date the 22nd day of January, 1883, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate: Notice is therefore given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 27th August, 1887. aug27 1m

B. C. Milling and Mining Co.

(LIMITED.),

ASSESSMENT No. 16.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an assessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the Company's Office, Langley Street, Victoria, on or before the 5th day of October, 1887, from and after which date all shares on which the said assessment shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent, subject to interest and costs, and will be dealt with according to law.

Dated this 19th September, 1887.

By order of the Directors.

GEO. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

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VICTORIA GAS COMPANY, L'd.

Notice of Reduction in Price.

FROM date of 1st September the price of Gas will be reduced from $3 to $2 per thousand feet. All discounts will be discontinued. Service pipes up to forty feet from the centre of the street will be laid down free of charge.

By order of the Directors.

C. W. R. THOMSON, Secretary.

aug26 1m

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province."

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all Claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR, President.

JOHN TRUTCH, Land Commissioner.

Victoria, B. C., July 25th, 1887. july26

Quesnelle Quartz Mining Company,

[LIMITED.]

Location of Works, Hixon Creek, B. C.

NOTICE.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLlowing described Stock on account of assessment levied on the 23rd of July, 1887, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
W. H. Redmond	1645	1000	$10 00
R. H. Benedict	1726	100	1 00
" "	1727	100	1 00
Jas. Carmichael	1713	100	1 00
" "	1715	100	1 00
" "	1716	100	1 00
" "	1717	100	1 00
" "	1718	100	1 00
J. Davies	1646	500	5 00
D. E. Campbell	1517	600	6 00
" "	1518	800	8 00
E. B. Carmichael	1520	200	2 00
H. B. Roycroft	1495	1000	10 00
Henry Roycroft	1474	200	2 00
Henry Strange	1444	500	5 00
Rosy M'Phetridge	1661	100	1 00
" "	1662	100	1 00
" "	1663	100	1 00
" "	1664	100	1 00
" "	1665	100	1 00
" "	1666	500	5 00
John Smith	1500	920	9 20
W. Manson	1224	1000	10 00
W. Morrison	1068	1000	10 00
" "	1090	2000	20 00
" "	1128	500	5 00
" "	1129	500	5 00
" "	1130	200	2 00
" "	1131	200	2 00
" "	1132	200	2 00
" "	1133	200	2 00
" "	1134	100	1 00
" "	1135	100	1 00
" "	1219	500	5 00

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C., on the 23rd day of September, 1887, at the hour of 2 p.m., to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Quesnelle, B. C., August 29, 1887. sep8 D&W2w

Victoria Water Works

Regulation By-Law.

Until otherwise ordered by the Water Commissioner by notice to be published seven days before taking effect, from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of September, both inclusive in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Water Works shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between five o'clock in the evening on the respective days mentioned and nine o'clock in the next following morning, namely:

In YATES STREET WARD, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In JAMES' BAY WARD, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

In JOHNSON STREET WARD, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Water Works shall not be used for irrigating or street sprinkling outside of the limits of the said city. Consumers of water of the said Water Works will please note the above and govern themselves accordingly, as the Bylaw will be strictly enforced.

THOMAS RUSSELL, Water Commissioner.

City Hall, May 27, 1887. may27

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of unsurveyed land in Sooke District, and described as follows:

Commencing at the N. W. corner of Section 89, thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Victoria, B. C. Sept. 21st, 1887. O. B. HARDY

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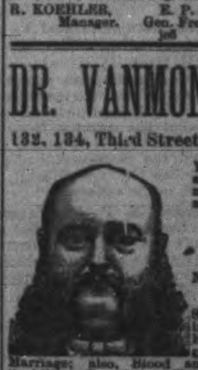

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The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Monday, Sept. 26, 1887.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready

—Money saved by having your plans made by Fisher, the Architect *

—Farrell, the absconding plumber, has not been heard from.

—Cerealine Flakes, a breakfast delicacy, at Neufelder & Ross. *

—Sixty excursionists registered at the Vancouver House, Yates street, to day.

—The first yacht race between the Volunteer and Thistle will take place at 10 a. m. to-morrow.

—Active operations will be commenced at the Sooke Copper mine to-morrow.

—For a delicious Milk Punch or a genuine Cocktail go to the Pritchard House. *

—Mr. John R. Wick has been appointed keeper of the East Point, Saturna Island, Lighthouse.

—Green Turtle, Terrapins, Frogs and Eastern Oysters just received at the Poodle Dog. *

—Steitz Bros. are prepared to supply their celebrated Ice Cream in quantities to suit, by the glass, quart or gallon. *

—Mr. Perley, Chief Engineer of the Public Works Department, now *en route* to this province, will arrange for the removal of Nicol rock, Nanaimo harbor.

The only place in the city for a glass of British Beer on draught is the Occidental Hotel. XXX Edinburgh and XXX Burton. WM. JENSEN.

—The Washburn Guitar is the best and most perfect instrument of the kind made. A fine assortment always kept at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s, Agents for B. C. *

—You can have Brown's celebrated Climax Washing Powder at greatly reduced prices, manufactured by Pendray & Co., Humboldt street, Victoria. *

—Drawing and Painting: Mrs. E. J. Miller will re-open her classes September 18th, in room 19, Bank of British Columbia building. *

—Pendray & Co. have only sent a part of their No. 1 soap east. You can have your orders promptly filled by them on Humboldt street. *

—Families requiring extra quantities of sugar for preserving purposes will find it to their advantage to purchase at Fell & Co's. *

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. [illegible] and see specimens of work.

—The people east are good judges of soap, that's just the reason they buy largely of Pendray & Co. We keep a full stock on hand of soap that is soap. You try it. *

—W. H. Pennock, practical jeweler and diamond setter, Denny's Block, upstairs, Government street. Best quality, latest styles, reasonable prices, gold plating and general repairs. P. O. Box 66. *

—Lieuts. Ogilvie and Benson, of "A" Battery, Kingston, have received orders to report at "C" Battery, British Columbia. Eighty men have volunteered to go with them, and all will have gone by Thursday, Oct. 6th.

—Reduced Prices:—Just received over 250 patterns fine mouldings, steel engravings and all latest pictures in stock. Framing and mounting a specialty. Jos. Sommers, Government street. *

—Mr. Walter Armstrong, of Alberni, has been awarded the contract for carrying the mails between Nanaimo, Nanoose, Englishman's River, Parksville and Alberni, once a week each way all the year around beginning Oct. 1st.

—Baldness may be prevented, and a thick growth of hair stimulated, by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. This preparation also restores the natural color to gray hair, and renders it soft, pliant, and glossy. *

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—Dr. Milne will lecture on anatomy, physiology and hygiene, before the scholars of the central school, on Fridays, using the "manikin" to explain his subjects. The doctor is an earnest friend of education, and his lectures are calculated to prove of great benefit to the pupils.

—Mr. J. H. Gray, C. E., who with a party has been making an exploratory railway survey of the northern end of Vancouver Island, returned last week. He reports that the country from Fort Rupert southward for forty miles, offers no obstacle to the construction of a railway. Considerable agricultural land was met with in the valleys.

—Mr. Gordon, M. P., for Vancouver district, has been endeavoring for some time to have the Fishery Department make an attempt to cultivate lobsters in the waters of this Island. A letter has been received from Mr. T. Mowatt, Fishery Inspector, stating that a car with about 1000 lobsters will leave Campbelltown, New Brunswick, about the end of October for this province, and that he proposes to place some of them in the channel between Nanaimo and Departure Bay, as Capt. Rogers of the steamer Dunsmuir, who has had considerable experience in lobster culture in the east, states that that will be a good locality for the propagation of lobsters.

☞ Roller Skating Rink Open Every Day.

The Iron Ore Mines.

A party of engineers are on Texada Island, British Columbia, surveying the proposed four miles of railway track to be built by the Puget Sound Iron Company. The road, when built, is designed to carry ore from the mine, which is not being worked at present, to Gillie Bay. The company owns 17,000 acres on the island. One of their large bunkers located at the mine caught fire this week and was totally destroyed.

Hanlan Arrived.

Hanlan arrived in Sydney on the 22nd. The passage was boisterous and the ex-champion looked thin. He was received without demonstration of any kind.

Summoned.

Mr. Wm. McDowell, drayman, has laid a complaint against the principal of the High School for beating his son a few days ago. The case will be heard at the police court to-morrow morning.

Walnuts.

Messrs. Hall & Goepel received 1600 sacks of walnuts per bark Lota. The duty paid on the shipment amounted to $4,500. Local merchants secured the walnuts for the home trade.

Hard on Canines.

The New Westminster police, in order to rid the city of useless curs, pay 25 cents a head for dogs. The youths are using their mother's bustles for dog traps, and a wholesale business in the canine line is being done by the small boy.

Doctor Helmcken

Is improving rapidly, and will be about again in a few days. The accident happened at Sailor Bay, across the harbor. The bullet did not touch any of the bones, but traversed the instep, causing a very painful flesh wound.

New Drug Store.

R. Atwood & Co. have opened their drug store on Government street, next door to Neufelder & Ross, where can be found a full line of drugs, chemicals, toilet articles, patent medicines, etc., etc. Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded. R. Atwood & Co. *

Fire at Vancouver.

On Saturday night at 9:20 a fire occurred in the west end of Vancouver, destroying four fine frame residences erected by Mrs. R. C. Cook and nearly completed. The engine had to be dragged by hand over a mile, and it arrived to late to save the buildings. Total loss about $5000; insurance $2500.

Miner Drowned.

Neil Lamont was drowned in Franklin, or Forty-Mile River, (Yukon) on the 2nd July, while attempting to take a boat up a canyon. The body was found ten days after and buried. He is believed to have been a native of Ontario, and at one time lived in Winnipeg. His friends are requested to write to Terence Tobin, care of P. Brady, Alaska, or to J. W. Wilson, Victoria.

Suspended.

Police Officer Smith was suspended on Saturday pending an investigation into charges made against him. These charges originated in a quarrel between two unfortunate women regarding the proprietory right to a house and furniture in [illegible] Alley. The charge against Smith is receiving money for watching the house and furniture whilst the women were absent from the city.

Smoke "Creme de la Creme" Cigars.

Important.

The goods damaged by water in consequence of the *fire* in the Arcade building will be sold at private sale commencing on Tuesday at Spencer's Arcade. Brussels Carpets, Tapestry Carpet, Felt and Hemp Carpet, Rope Matting, Kidderminster and Three-ply Carpets, Hearthrugs, Mats.

Men's and Boys' Hats, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Shirts, Socks, Underwear; also the goods damaged by the smoke. All goods will be marked in plain figures and sold for cash only. *

Really! The Creme de la Creme.

The China Steamers.

The Port Victor—the next China steamer—is due on Wednesday at Vancouver. She has a larger cargo than any of the previous steamers and a full passenger list. In view of what happened upon the arrival of the last steamer, the pilots will doubtless be on the *qui vive* and have her brought into Esquimalt without unnecessary delay. The mails and passengers will be landed here, and probably only a few hours' detention will take place.

Creme de la Creme Cigars; A. B. Gray & Co., Agents.

The Laughing Event of the Year.

Unless all signs fail, the Victoria theatre will be packed to its utmost capacity to night to witness the world famous humorous play, "Skipped by the Light of the Moon," presented by the eminent comedian, Louis Harrison, who has attained a national reputation as being at the head and front of all farcical comedians, and who has performed the above named play to enormous audiences, and the recurrent echoes of their vociferous laughter in all the principal cities of America, from New York to San Francisco, for the past five years.

Black and Tan Cigars.

The Excursionists.

Mr. A. T. Stodgell, of Canton, Ill., one of the passengers who arrived from the east last night, informs us that the party numbered about three hundred, made up of residents of Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Indiana and other Central States. Their tickets are good for sixty days. Many of the excursionists left for the Sound this morning, and some remained in the city to take in the sights of Victoria. Port Angeles is the objective point of not a few, who are either already members of that peculiar community or are desirous of becoming connected therewith.

Gladstone Cigars.

From San Francisco

By the Mexico, which arrived this morning, there arrived the following passengers: W Rogers, A D Wright and wife, J M Newport, Mrs G W Campbell, J M Dwan, D Vaile, P Cunningham, Mrs M C Noyes, Mrs M Meyers & son, Mrs R Doddall, W Nurcese, Miss E Ryan, Mrs W H Gratten, E T and R T Hodgson, Mrs J H Chambers, Mrs H B [illegible] and daughter, H Dobbs, G H Gould, Master B Lombard, Miss A K Wellman, H Brooke, Miss Maud E Noyes, M B S Coleman wife and child, Miss Mason, A J McLellan, P Murphy, J Patterson, Fred Hall, Miss A B Blakeslee.

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A nice line of Haman & Son's celebrated Boots and Shoes for men arrived at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium, corner Government and Johnson streets.*

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Just Out.

I Haven't for a Long Time, (song.)
Dream of Summer Night, (song.)
Boys in Blue, (song.)
Jackets O' Blue, (sailor song.)
Swinging, (waltz.)
At Lombard's Music Sto[re]

The Premier.

The new C. P. N. Co.'s steamer the Premier, on a trial trip on Saturday, made sixteen knots an hour. She will leave San Francisco for Victoria about the end of this week. The company has not yet fully decided under which flag she will be sailed. If she is made a Canadian bottom, the duty on her hull and machinery which will have to be paid will amount to $15,000 or $20,000.

Canadian Home Rule.

A *Globe's* cable says: A letter written by W. S. Caine, M. P., on board the Sarmatian, is published. He stated that Canadians interviewed condemned Gladstone's proposal to support Chamberlain's scheme of Home Rule for Ireland based more or less on the Dominion system. The *Daily News* commenting on the letter argues that the Canadian provinces carry a Home Rule degree of independence which nobody proposed to extend to Ireland.

Bazaar.

The bazaar in aid of the R. E. Church will be held to-morrow in Philharmonic Hall. A number of blue jackets were engaged to-day decorating the hall. The ladies will endeavor to make the bazaar a financial success, and no doubt they will receive the patronage of all generous citizens. Refreshments will be served during the evening. On Wednesday the bazaar will be continued, and during the evening grand tableau, with vocal and instrumental music, will be given. We bespeak for the bazaar the large attendance so worthy an object deserves.

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let that cold of yours run on. You think it is a light thing. But it may run into catarrh. Or into pneumonia. Or consumption.

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Basket Picnic and Moonlight Excursion.

To the old English camp and showing the beauties of the San Juan Group of Islands including a visit to Roche and Friday Harbors. At the latter point there will be a Presbyterian festival in the evening, and being the county seat the attendance will be large. The steamer Evangel, Capt. J. W. Tarte, will leave Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf, near foot of Yates street, on Friday morning, Sept. 30th, at 7 o'clock, returning by moonlight after the close of the festival. Fare for the round trip $1.25, admission to the festival 25c. extra. The latter funds will be for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church, San Juan. A brass band will be in attendance, tickets can be procured from F. Campbell or T. N. Hibben & Co., Government street. *

From the North.

The Barbara Boscowitz arrived from Fort Simpson and way ports this morning. Amongst the passengers were Miss Hunt, Mr. Spencer, Mrs. Spencer, Rev. Giratt, Mr. Hall, J. Cuthbert and a number of others.

Capt. Rose, of H. M. S. Triumph, returned on the Boscowitz from a hunting tour at Salmon River. Amongst the trophies secured by Capt. Rose was an eagle which measured six feet from the tip of one wing to the tip of the other, an elk, the beautiful head and antlers of which were brought down, also innumerable geese and ducks.

The Indians are still tearing down the houses at Metlakahtla; the two steamers Glad Tidings and Princess Louise are removing the lumber to New Metlakahtla.

The salmon run on the Skeena is over, and the canneries have finished work for the season.

At Alert Bay and Rivers Inlet the run was not as good as usual.

The Boscowitz brought a cargo of salmon.

About 100 Indians will remain at Metlakahtla after the work of removal is finished.

The Sardonyx.

The steamship Sardonyx arrived from the Skeena this morning. Among the passengers were: R Cunningham, Jas Banden, W H Dempster, B H Burgess, Dan Cook, Sam Booth, 20 Chinese and Indians. Her consignees are: Welch Rithet & Co, H Saunders, E B Carmichael, M Moss, Tai Fung Co, Carpenter, Mrs Booth, Neufelder & Ross, R Smith. There were 4335 cases, 153 half barrels and 175 barrels of salmon for Welch, Rithet & Co.; and for H. Saunders 8540 cases, 40 barrels and 40 half barrels. The former will be unloaded at the outer wharf.

The weather on the whole was favorable during the trip, considerable rain, however, falling during the latter half of it.

The Metlakahtla Indians have, to the number of about five hundred, left for their new home in Alaska, and the old village is almost deserted, only the adherents of the Bishop remaining. The doors and windows of the deserted cabins were removed to New Metlakahtla, and the four walls of the dwellings are left as a silent testimony to the incompetency of—somebody.

Mr. Ham Lipsett, the obliging purser of the Sardonyx, was not aware of the sad death of his uncle until he arrived this morning, and deeply regrets that he did not arrive in time to attend the funeral.

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LAID TO REST.

Funeral of the Late R. Lipsett—Impressive Ceremony.

On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the mortal remains of the late Robert Lipsett, were borne from their resting place in Odd Fellows' Hall to the hearse, and the procession slowly wended its way to the church and thence to the cemetery. The brother of the deceased, Mr. Isaac Lipsett, who arrived from California on Saturday, was the chief mourner. The brethren of No. 2 Lodge, I. O. O. F., of which deceased was a member, attended in a body, the officers in full regalia and all wearing badges and sprigs of evergreen. The *cortege* proceeded direct to the Reformed Episcopal Church, where Bishop Cridge officiated, and thence to Ross Bay Cemetery. There were about forty carriages in the procession, and many prominent citizens were present to pay the last mark of respect to the departed. The pall-bearers were: Coun. F. S. Barnard, Coun. T. Styles, H. Waller, Michael Baker, Wm. McKeon, sen., and Frank Campbell, sen. May he rest in peace.

A Large Party.

The Yosemite arrived at 12:45 last night, having on board 337 people all told, including 293 St. Paul excursionists, a large proportion of whom went on this morning's steamer to Portland, Seattle, &c. The balance of this party, numbering 40 or 50, will arrive by the Rithet to-night and the Yosemite to-morrow. This is the largest party of excursionists carried through to the Pacific Coast without public advertisement. They all express themselves as well satisfied with their treatment and the connections made by the C. P. R.

The following is a complete list of the passengers: A Summsald, G H Chappelle, B Curran, Jessie Fisher, Emily Rushworth, H J Hambley, Mrs Radsworth, J F Jullian, T McGoin, E Fellows, C F Sern, Miss E White, T S Nowell, W W Fisk, H J Ray, J Thomas, M Wordsworth, F Walker, E Wilkes, C N Willer, F Wilges, C Van Epps, M Tollis, F A Elder, F A Stevens, C N Canforth, T Blinken, J P Mallenger, C Frederick, A C King, J T Henderson, P N Devis, H S Dibbern, F H Hogs, Mrs W J Burnbain, —Livesley, F N Noble, W C Logan, Mrs F Hoard, F Strand, C A Cummings, W J Geary, C Hinslee, G Hinslee, W Hinslee, J T Flesson, N Attig, W R Wagoner, J Sauerman, B Barrett, O Anderson, H N Evenson, A P Collin, J Wilfong, C M Maltby, R C Dalton, N B Perkins, C N Briffett, G M Hedoley, B Moriarty, H Beaudette, W Gailbraith, E Nash, O C Curren, W N Wrigfield, N Nelson, Miss M Wilson, A W Dumley, J C Chapman, N P Chapman, J Wage, M Donovan, Ida Winsor, Eva Winsor, Mrs C Ball, W Ball, Amos Winsor, N H Moore, S E Cowdera, J E Conforth, J Weir, J Patterson, J J Patterson, J E Burker, G Yancey, F M Deane, A J Lawson, O W Peterson, E Wood, G L Artginsen, N J Artginsen, J K Elorey, P Kiloran, W N Bennett, P Young, W Sweetland, S Ramsey, Mrs W T Hanson, G F Moden, H Gerlach, J Phillip, W Glazier, Mrs C Woodsworth, S A Chaffie, W N Place, F E N Shore, E E Jagers, W Marshall, L W Haller, O Haller, O Livingstone, H E Bennis, A W Matthews, E Wilbur, S Rourke, J Terdor, W Cook, M L Berry, R F McLellan, F De Frossey, S H Sherwood, L D Ellis, E Jebens, Emma Rabe, A Rabe, F R Borgeson, W A Burbank, A M Beveridge, W J McBroden, W S Schultz, J Allan, O Wrede, J Jeger, J B Wing, E Platton, M L Boot, A D Easho, J H White, J B Speer, E F Hardman, L Convers, T Austin, W R Buckle, L R Hall, R P Cameron, H R Medbury, Mrs J A Medbury, Miss P N Medbury, G E Eessman, E Webber, G A Lanerman, A E Meriarder, L Hoarin, C Ebebon, W Clarke, E S Craig, W Crickmore, W Chambers, J D Hickall, F S Lewis, F J McArdle, Josie Kimball, J L Unhard, [illegible] Leishekon, P C Henry, F J Patton, E W Ahre, W Bird, C Reeds, B Curtis, W Berd, W T Edwards, C Herman, E J Metcalf, C B Randall, J C Terry, J T Omo, J Z Brumen, H White, J R Bull, Mrs C N Bennett, A T Stogel, J Miller, E Rheades, Grace Fisher, E M Mason, C E Pancost, T Collins, L G Pancost, C N Noyes, Iva Fishea, P H McCallum, E N Rhodes, Gail Fisher, Josie Fisher, F F Bolton, M J Collins, Mrs Collins, Mollie Hammond, Mrs Jarvis, Mrs Rastworth, Harriett Johnson, H Weeks, A McCleary, S B McGuard, C D Kennedy, Mrs Maloney, J Rigley, G Randolph, H Meredyth, Bessie Meredyth, C O'Kasen, Mrs P N Stevens, Mrs L A Cox, J Thombenson, A Lawson, H Quoina, J Fluten, F Bennett, P Williams, H W Woodbury, F G Treburg, W P Harper, W Dickenson, L Goodsell, T W Bolker, J J Delaney, L Borer, W T Cramer, E L McDonald, G R Rossiter, H Goetz, F Francis, F Williams, A C Dahm, H J Huston.

Tony Cigars.

Canadian Pacific Stocks.

The *Canadian Gazette* comments as follows on the unsatisfactory market movements in Canadian Pacific stocks: "A great deal of these movements are left unaccounted for. Those knowing best are confident the full interest on the bond will be earned in the current year and the large unmarketed resources of the company will amply secure payment even if unearned. The great difference between the present crisis and those which on former occasions troubled the Canadian Pacific shareholders, is that this one is mainly the result of external general conditions in spite of undoubted efforts greatly in favor of the route."

There has been a continued flatness in Canadian Pacific stocks, which declined three points the week before last.

OFFICER SMITH'S SUSPENSION.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—The *Colonist* evidently goes on the principle of hanging a man first and trying him afterwards. In Sunday morning's issue appears an item that Officer Smith has been suspended and *will scarcely be re-employed again*. It appears that a charge has been made against him by a somewhat notorious prostitute and her man, who were some time since arrested by Officer Smith under the vagrancy act and fined. They vowed vengeance against him then. The police committee and superintendent should be cautious in listening to such characters, for although without doubt the officer will be reinstated and honorably acquitted of the charges made, still these charges tend to injure the efficiency of the force, especially if published before investigation, and must make an officer think that the less he does the better. The police are already too fond of simply parading the streets and doing as little as possible in the shape of putting down nuisances which they know to exist, and a case like this is hardly likely to make them more energetic.

Citizen.

The Canadian Pacific authorities propose erecting a mammoth hotel on the site of the old parliament buildings.

Fresh finds of gold are reported from St. Francis, Beauce.

In the Prince county (P. E. I.) election case judgment was given holding that Perry, Liberal, was entitled to the seat. The contention was that Perry was disqualified through being a member of the Local Legislature.

Donald Assizes.

The Queen vs Caruso and Arabrose Feriono. On the 22nd Feb. Wm. Sands was stabbed in a drunken brawl at the summit of the Selkirks, and died six days later. From his dying deposition and evidence of witnesses it was clear that the stab which resulted in his death was given by Caruso, now a fugitive from justice. It was now for the jury to consider how far Feriono, the prisoner on trial, was aware that his comrade meditated violence. The jury failed to agree, some being for assault and some for manslaughter. Counsel for Crown stated that the lesser charge would be satisfactory, and after consultation the jury rendered that verdict. Sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

The Wilkinson case, on account of the absence of important witnesses for the defence, was laid over till the next court, and Wilkinson was set at liberty on his own bail for $250.

Mr. Justice Crease, after the adjournment, went to visit Calgary and Banff.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

The law cannot make a man moral, but it can make him dreadfully uncomfortable when he is immoral.—McKinney (Texas) Mercury.

"What is the chief peculiarity of the Canadian climate?" asked a school examiner. "It is beneficial to bank cashiers," said the bright boy of the class, "but very deadly to reformers."—Judge.

An exchange mentions the fact of a citizen dying at the green old age of 93 years. A man who is green at the age of 93 years ought to die.—Newman Independent.

Silk is grown in twenty states, while men who buy it groan in every state.—Portland Advertiser.

Unbridled speculation in coffee has sent the price up, and another pang is added to the cup of the unfortunate boarding house sufferer.—Boston Globe.

Landlady—Would you like to have a cup of coffee, Mr. Simpkins? It is nice and fresh. Mr. S.—Yes, madam, when I am through with my steak. Business first, you know.—Kentucky State Journal.

"Suppose I shall see you at your father's funeral today?" said a friend to a young man of the period. "Naw; should like to be there, but I'll be busy in court, opening succession and heading off mother in a will contest. See you later if I succeed."—New Orleans Picayune.

This life but little joy doth hold
For him who is the prey—
Though he have lands and stocks and gold—
Of grim dyspepsia!
—Boston Courier.

The tramp usually has an elaborate bill of air.—Whitehall Times.

The tramp takes great pleasure in calling money "soap," we presume, because it is seldom found in his hands.—Yonkers Statesman.

"Well," said an old tramp, wiping the perspiration from his brow with the back of his hand, "I wish somebody would explain why so much water comes out of my pores. I never absorb any."—Norristown Herald.

A temperance paper asks: "Go into one of our gin palaces and what do you find?" Any brand of spiritus frumenti you may call for, and all out of the same bottle.—Oil City Blizzard.

"Soap is selling pretty well, isn't it?" asked Maxfield Bean of a Toad Hollow grocer. "Yes, first rate—what made you ask?" "Because you always look as if you never had any on hand."—Melrose Journal.

The Phrasing of Formal Notes.

In writing formal notes of invitation or reply a number of people appear to consider it elegant to use the French construction of sentences. For instance, they make a point of writing: "The invitation of Mrs. Brown," instead of "Mrs. Brown's invitation;" "4th May," instead of "May 4th," and the like. In writing the French language the French construction of sentences would seem eminently proper; and when one writes in English it is quite as desirable that the rules of that language be observed.

An Important Change.

The ancient Romans used to recline at the table while participating at a banquet. Customs have changed. The modern Roman, as well as the American, doesn't recline until after the banquet—and then it is under, not at, the table.—Norristown Herald.

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A Home Made Slur on Dakota.

"Seen a man go along here lately?" asked a Dakota conductor, leaning off the platform as the train passed a farmer at work near the track.

"Yes."

"Red whiskered man?"

"Yes."

"Grip in each hand?"

"B'lieve so."

"When did he pass?"

"'Bout ten minutes ago—he's just round the curve. He's walkin' middling fast, though."

"That's just the trouble, but I'll catch him or run every wheel off the engine! I've no objection to his walking if he's in a hurry, but he wants to put up his fare first, and you bet he'll have to if we catch him! Hi, there, Bill, pass the fireman some more of those dry express packages!"—Dakota Bell.

A Mean Advantage.

"I think I've got rather the meanest husband in Detroit," exclaimed a little woman on the car the other day.

Her friend asked her to explain, and she continued:

"I found that he was smoking fifty cents' worth of cigars per day, and I got him to agree to give me as much pin money per week as the cigars cost. He stuck to it one week."

"And then what?"

"He bought him a clay pipe and a pound of ten cent smoking tobacco, and my income is cut down to two cents a week!"—Detroit Free Press.

The Doctor's Hail Stone.

St. Paul, Minn., had a remarkable hailstone a few days ago, and a correspondent says, to illustrate more forcibly the size of the stones and the competition to secure the mammoth, the feat of a wag, who in the height of the shower rushed to his ice chest and hacked out a two pound chunk from a cake therein, hastily clipping off the sharp corners with a hatchet, which he pitched from a window into the yard of an excited neighbor, is apropos. As the huge specimen fell upon the turf, the doctor wildly rushed out from his piazza, and at the imminent risk of perforation of his bald caput captured the monster, and hurrying to his study made a plaster cast of his prize, not for a moment doubting its genuineness.—Philadelphia Call.

Blue Laws.

The name blue laws, was originally applied to the code drawn up in 1650 for Connecticut. It was given them in derision of their strictness. The word blue was also applied, as it often is now, to Presbyterians, perhaps because of the blue mantle spread over the preaching tub some of the ministers used.

Langtry.

Ladies kid laced boots, something very neat, late of arriving will be sold cheap at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium, corner Government and Johnson streets. *

Two burglars entered the house of Rev. Father Sheehan, Pickering, Ont., and burst into his bedroom and fired four shots at the priest, one of which fanned his hair. He escaped by jumping from the window to the ground, a distance of twenty feet.

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